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In re Application of:

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

As a means of complying with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR §1.56, and in accordance with 37 CFR §§1.97 and 1.98, Applicant, through the undersigned attorney, submits Information Disclosure Statement. The patents, publications or other information submitted herewith are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 and copies are attached. The Examiner is requested to make these references of record in the file of this application. The listed publications were cited in the International Search Report, copy enclosed, and their relevance is discussed therein.

In accordance with 37 CFR §1.97(b)(3), this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits of the above-identified application.

Respectfully submitted,

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